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U. S. EXPORTS OF BEEF BREEDING CATTLE, JANUARY-JUNE 1960

U.S. exports of 8,333 head of beef breeding cattle during January-June 1960 were 12 percent below the corresponding period of 1959. Reduced exports to Venezuela accounted for a large proportion of the decline. Shipments to the Philippines, Guatemala, and Dominican Republic were also down substantially from last year. Exports to Argentina, Nicaragua, and U.S.S.R. were up from the corresponding period last year.

In the first half of 1960, Brahman accounted for 51 percent of the total exports, Hereford 28 percent, Santa Gertrudis 8 percent and Aberdeen Angus nearly 5 percent.

Venezuela retained its position as the leading market for beef breeding cattle by purchasing 45 percent of total exports. Mexico continued as the second best market taking 29 percent. Canada took 11 percent and Argentina 5 percent.

Leading exporting states were Texas, Florida, Arizona, Kansas, and Montana in that order. Nearly 40 percent of total beef breeding cattle exports originated in Texas, 33 percent in Florida, 5 percent in Arizona, and 4 percent in each of Montana and Kansas.

Beef cattle, breeding: Inspections for export from the United States by breed, January-June 1960

	Head
Brahman	4,287
Hereford	2,330
Santa Gertrudis	675
Aberdeen Angus	387
Charolaise	236
Charbray	206
Shorthorn	154
Brangus	24
Red Poll	12
Scotch Highland	11
Devon	6
Galloway	5
Total	8,333

Beef cattle, breeding: Inspections for export from the United States by country of destination, January-June 1960

	Head
Venezuela	3,770
Mexico	2,454
Canada	883
Argentina	436
Nicaragua	280
U.S.S.R.	221
Guatemala	86
Panama	66
Union of South Africa	37
Costa Rica	31
Colombia	15
Peru	15
Philippines	12
Honduras	10
Paraguay	10
Brazil	3
Dominican Republic	2
El Salvador	1
Korea	1
Total	8,333

Beef cattle, breeding: Inspections for export from the United States by state, January-June 1960

	Head
Texas	3,219
Florida	2,711
Arizona	441
Kansas	311
Montana	303
Colorado	245
Iowa	224
Ohio	115
Oklahoma	95
California	94
Illinois	76
North Dakota	74
New Mexico	73
Mississippi	65
Washington	57
Louisiana	38
Wyoming	38
New York	22
Michigan	21
Kentucky	19
Maine	16
Indiana	12
Massachusetts	12
Pennsylvania	11
Nebraska	8
North Carolina	6
Connecticut	4
South Dakota	4
Tennessee	4
Georgia	3
Missouri	3
Wisconsin	3
Maryland	2
Minnesota	2
Virginia	2
Total	8,333

TABLE 1.--Breeding cattle, beef: Inspections for export from the United States by breed, country of destination, age and sex, January-June 1960

Breed and country of destination	Male				Female				Total
	Under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and over	All ages	Under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and over	All ages	Jan.-June
	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Aberdeen Angus:									
Argentina	1	4	1	6	--	8	8	16	22
Canada	18	14	50	82	30	16	51	97	179
El Salvador	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Mexico	18	101	45	164	--	18	--	18	182
Paraguay	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
U.S.S.R.	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	1
Total	37	122	96	255	30	42	60	132	387
Brahman:									
Argentina	--	--	2	2	21	--	--	21	23
Canada	--	9	10	19	--	2	--	2	21
Colombia	--	6	--	6	--	--	--	--	6
Costa Rica	--	16	5	21	--	--	--	--	21
Dominican Republic	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Guatemala	--	7	4	11	--	18	--	18	29
Honduras	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Mexico	59	75	12	146	27	29	31	87	233
Nicaragua	--	43	19	62	60	130	--	190	252
Panama	1	2	1	4	--	--	--	--	4
Paraguay	--	4	--	4	--	--	--	--	4
Philippines	--	--	2	2	--	--	5	5	7
Union of So. Africa	--	3	--	3	--	15	11	26	29
Venezuela	--	424	440	864	60	446	2,285	2,791	3,655
Total	60	590	497	1,147	168	640	2,332	3,140	4,287
Brangus:									
Canada	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Mexico	--	--	--	--	2	20	--	22	22
Total	--	--	2	2	2	20	--	22	24
Charbray:									
Canada	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Honduras	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	9	9
Mexico	14	81	12	107	--	32	--	32	139
Venezuela	22	13	22	57	--	--	--	--	57
Total	36	95	34	165	--	41	--	41	206
Charolaise:									
Canada	1	17	28	46	--	17	4	21	67
Costa Rica	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Mexico	11	54	25	90	3	--	15	18	108
Panama	1	--	--	1	--	--	8	8	9
Paraguay	2	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Venezuela	4	21	--	25	--	23	--	23	48
Total	19	94	53	166	3	40	27	70	236
Devon:									
Canada	3	--	--	3	--	--	3	3	6
Total	3	--	--	3	--	--	3	3	6
Galloway:									
Canada	--	--	4	4	1	--	--	1	5
Total	--	--	4	4	1	--	--	1	5
Hereford:									
Argentina	--	10	2	12	--	29	13	42	54
Brazil	--	3	--	3	--	--	--	--	3
Canada	30	154	20	204	9	196	50	255	459
Guatemala	7	2	--	9	--	--	--	--	9
Mexico	187	883	386	1,456	--	118	9	127	1,583
Paraguay	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
U.S.S.R.	--	--	--	--	--	220	--	220	220
Total	224	1,054	408	1,686	9	563	72	644	2,330

TABLE 1.--Breeding cattle, beef: Inspections for export from the United States by breed, country of destination, age and sex, January-June 1960--Continued

Breed and country of destination	Male				Female				Total
	Under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and over	All ages	Under 1 year	1 year and under 2 years	2 years and over	All ages	Jan.-June
	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Red Poll:									
Canada	1	1	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Venezuela	--	9	1	10	--	--	--	--	10
Total	1	10	1	12	--	--	--	--	12
Santa Gertrudis:									
Argentina	--	17	3	20	126	188	3	317	337
Colombia	1	--	--	1	5	--	--	5	6
Guatemala	1	19	--	20	11	2	15	28	48
Mexico	--	136	19	155	--	21	--	21	176
Nicaragua	--	14	4	18	--	10	--	10	28
Panama	24	--	--	24	--	15	14	29	53
Peru	1	1	--	2	13	--	--	13	15
Philippines	--	2	1	3	--	2	--	2	5
Union of So. Africa	--	--	--	--	--	4	3	7	7
Total	27	189	27	243	155	242	35	432	675
Scotch Highland:									
Canada	--	--	1	1	--	--	10	10	11
Total	--	--	1	1	--	--	10	10	11
Shorthorn:									
Canada	1	57	43	101	--	21	8	29	130
Colombia	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	3
Costa Rica	--	--	--	--	--	8	--	8	8
Korea	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Mexico	6	3	2	11	--	--	--	--	11
Union of So. Africa	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Total	7	61	46	114	--	29	11	40	154
Total beef cattle	414	2,215	1,169	3,798	368	1,617	2,550	4,535	8,333

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TABLE 2.--Breeding cattle, beef: Inspections for export from the United States by country of destination, state of origin, breed, age and sex, January-June 1960

Country of destination, state of origin, and breed	Male: Under 1 year	Male: 1 year and under 2 years	Male: 2 years and over	Male: All ages	Female: Under 1 year	Female: 1 year and under 2 years	Female: 2 years and over	Female: All ages	Total Jan.-June
	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Argentina:									
Florida:									
Santa Gertrudis	--	4	--	4	--	6	--	6	10
Mississippi:									
Hereford	--	10	2	12	--	29	13	42	54
New York:									
Aberdeen Angus	1	4	1	6	--	8	8	16	22
Texas:									
Brahman	--	--	2	2	21	--	--	21	23
Santa Gertrudis	--	13	3	16	126	182	3	311	327
Country total	1	31	8	40	147	225	24	396	436
Brazil:									
Mississippi:									
Hereford	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Wyoming:									
Hereford	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Country total	--	3	--	3	--	--	--	--	3
Canada:									
Arizona:									
Charolaise	1	16	27	44	--	8	3	11	55
Hereford	--	7	--	7	--	--	--	--	7
California:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	1	--	--	1	1
Colorado:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	2	25	27	--	4	--	4	31
Brahman	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Connecticut:									
Charolaise	--	--	1	1	--	--	1	1	2
Georgia:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	--	--	--	3	--	3	3
Illinois:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Hereford	2	3	--	5	--	2	--	2	7
Shorthorn	--	3	--	3	--	2	--	2	5
Indiana:									
Aberdeen Angus	1	--	1	2	--	--	--	--	2
Charolaise	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hereford	--	--	2	2	--	--	1	1	3
Shorthorn	--	3	--	3	--	2	--	2	5
Iowa:									
Brangus	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Hereford	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Shorthorn	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Kansas:									
Hereford	--	1	--	1	--	1	--	1	2
Kentucky:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	--	--	19	19	19
Maine:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	--	10	5	15	15
Shorthorn	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Maryland:									
Hereford	--	1	1	2	--	--	--	--	2
Massachusetts:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hereford	2	2	--	4	4	--	--	4	8
Michigan:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	1	--	1	--	2	1	3	4
Hereford	2	8	--	10	--	6	--	6	16
Shorthorn	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1

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	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Canada: (Continued)									
Minnesota:									
Red Poll	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Mississippi:									
Hereford	2	1	4	7	--	--	3	3	10
Missouri:									
Charbray	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hereford	1	1	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Montana:									
Galloway	--	--	2	2	1	--	--	1	3
Hereford	17	75	5	97	--	115	9	124	221
Scotch Highland	--	--	1	1	--	--	10	10	11
Shorthorn	--	33	35	68	--	--	--	--	68
Nebraska:									
Hereford	--	5	--	5	--	3	--	3	8
New York:									
Aberdeen Angus	1	6	2	9	3	--	3	6	15
Devon	3	--	--	3	--	--	3	3	6
North Carolina:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	--	--	6	6	6
North Dakota:									
Galloway	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hereford	--	13	--	13	--	32	--	32	45
Shorthorn	--	13	--	13	--	15	--	15	28
Ohio:									
Aberdeen Angus	16	2	20	38	27	6	36	69	107
Galloway	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Red Poll	1	--	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Shorthorn	--	1	1	2	--	2	2	4	6
Oklahoma:									
Brahman	--	--	8	8	--	--	--	--	8
Pennsylvania:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	--	--	--	1	--	1	1
Hereford	--	3	--	3	--	--	6	6	9
South Dakota:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	--	4	--	4	4
Tennessee:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	--	--	--	--	2	2	2
Brahman	--	--	--	--	--	2	--	2	2
Texas:									
Brahman	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Charolaise	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	9	9
Hereford	--	3	--	3	--	6	--	6	9
Virginia:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	1	--	1	--	--	1	1	2
Washington:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	1	1	--	--	8	8	9
Brahman	--	8	--	8	--	--	--	--	8
Hereford	--	16	7	23	--	5	--	5	28
Shorthorn	--	1	5	6	--	--	6	6	12
Wisconsin:									
Shorthorn	--	1	2	3	--	--	--	--	3
Wyoming:									
Hereford	4	15	--	19	4	12	1	17	36
Country total	54	253	158	465	40	252	126	418	883
Colombia:									
Massachusetts:									
Shorthorn	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	3
Texas:									
Brahman	--	6	--	6	--	--	--	--	6
Santa Gertrudis	1	--	--	1	5	--	--	5	6
Country total	1	6	--	7	5	--	3	8	15

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Country of destination, state of origin, and breed	Male: Under 1 year	Male: 1 year and under 2 years	Male: 2 years and over	Male: All ages	Female: Under 1 year	Female: 1 year and under 2 years	Female: 2 years and over	Female: All ages	Total Jan.-June
	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Costa Rica:									
Connecticut:									
Charolaise	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Louisiana:									
Brahman	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Texas:									
Brahman	--	16	3	19	--	--	--	--	19
Shorthorn	--	--	--	--	--	8	--	8	8
Country total	--	18	5	23	--	8	--	8	31
Dominican Republic:									
Texas:									
Brahman	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
Country total	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
El Salvador:									
New York:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Country total	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Guatemala:									
Florida:									
Brahman	--	6	4	10	--	18	--	18	28
Hereford	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Santa Gertrudis	1	17	--	18	--	--	--	--	18
Texas:									
Brahman	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Hereford	7	--	--	7	--	--	--	--	7
Santa Gertrudis	--	2	--	2	11	2	15	28	30
Country total	8	28	4	40	11	20	15	46	86
Honduras:									
Florida:									
Brahman	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Charbray	--	--	--	--	--	9	--	9	9
Country total	--	1	--	1	--	9	--	9	10
Korea:									
Minnesota:									
Shorthorn	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Country total	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Mexico:									
Arizona:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	7	7	--	--	--	--	7
Brahman	13	1	2	16	--	2	--	2	18
Charolaise	--	10	16	26	3	--	15	18	44
Hereford	29	178	85	292	--	16	--	16	308
Santa Gertrudis	--	--	2	2	--	--	--	--	2
California:									
Brahman	--	7	7	14	--	--	--	--	14
Charbray	14	7	9	30	--	32	--	32	62
Charolaise	--	--	9	9	--	--	--	--	9
Hereford	--	6	2	8	--	--	--	--	8
Colorado:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	20	--	20	--	--	--	--	20
Hereford	--	50	142	192	--	--	--	--	192
Kansas:									
Hereford	121	154	34	309	--	--	--	--	309
Louisiana:									
Charolaise	11	1	--	12	--	--	--	--	12
New Mexico:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	19	2	21	--	--	--	--	21
Hereford	--	30	--	30	--	--	--	--	30
Oklahoma:									
Hereford	--	85	2	87	--	--	--	--	87

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	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head	Head
Mexico: (Continued)									
Texas:									
Aberdeen Angus	18	62	36	116	--	18	--	18	134
Brahman	46	67	3	116	27	27	31	85	201
Brangus	--	--	--	---	2	20	--	22	22
Charbray	--	74	3	77	--	--	--	--	77
Charolaise	--	43	--	43	--	--	--	--	43
Hereford	37	380	121	538	--	102	9	111	649
Santa Gertrudis	--	136	17	153	--	21	--	21	174
Shorthorn	6	3	2	11	--	--	--	--	11
Country total	295	1,333	501	2,129	32	238	55	325	2,454
Nicaragua:									
Florida:									
Brahman	--	43	11	54	60	113	--	173	227
Santa Gertrudis	--	14	--	14	--	--	--	--	14
Texas:									
Brahman	--	--	8	8	--	17	--	17	25
Santa Gertrudis	--	--	4	4	--	10	--	10	14
Country total	--	57	23	80	60	140	--	200	280
Panama:									
Florida:									
Brahman	--	--	1	1	--	--	--	--	1
Louisiana:									
Charolaise	1	--	--	1	--	--	8	8	9
Texas:									
Brahman	1	2	--	3	--	--	--	--	3
Santa Gertrudis	24	--	--	24	--	15	14	29	53
Country total	26	2	1	29	--	15	22	37	66
Paraguay:									
Texas:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Brahman	--	4	--	4	--	--	--	--	4
Charolaise	2	--	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Hereford	--	2	--	2	--	--	--	--	2
Country total	2	8	--	10	--	--	--	--	10
Peru:									
Florida:									
Santa Gertrudis	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Texas:									
Santa Gertrudis	1	--	--	1	13	--	--	13	14
Country total	1	1	--	2	13	--	--	13	15
Philippines:									
Texas:									
Brahman	--	--	2	2	--	--	5	5	7
Santa Gertrudis	--	2	1	3	--	2	--	2	5
Country total	--	2	3	5	--	2	5	7	12
Union of South Africa:									
Indiana:									
Shorthorn	--	1	--	1	--	--	--	--	1
Louisiana:									
Brahman	--	--	--	--	--	--	3	3	3
Texas:									
Brahman	--	3	--	3	--	15	8	23	26
Santa Gertrudis	--	--	--	--	--	4	3	7	7
Country total	--	4	--	4	--	19	14	33	37
U.S.S.R.:									
Iowa:									
Hereford	--	--	--	--	--	220	--	220	220
Pennsylvania:									
Aberdeen Angus	--	--	--	--	--	--	1	1	1
Country total	--	--	--	--	--	220	1	221	221
Venezuela:									
Florida:									
Brahman	--	21	178	199	--	152	2,049	2,201	2,400
Illinois:									
Brahman	--	17	7	24	--	14	24	38	62
Louisiana:									
Brahman	--	12	--	12	--	--	--	--	12
Texas:									
Brahman	--	374	255	629	60	280	212	552	1,181
Charbray	22	13	22	57	--	--	--	--	57
Charolaise	4	21	--	25	--	23	--	23	48
Red Poll	--	9	1	10	--	--	--	--	10
Country total	26	467	463	956	60	469	2,285	2,814	3,770
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